P R O C L A M A T I O N

WHEREAS, the membership of the American Business Women's Association is composed of women in varied occupations and professions with more than 55,000 members enrolled in over 900 chapters throughout the United States; and,

WHEREAS, the membership of the Association is dedicated to elevating the status of all women in business, through appropriate training, the improvement of employer-employee relations, and continuing education; and,

WHEREAS, one of the main objectives of this Association is the awarding of scholarships to qualified and deserving women students; and,

WHEREAS, this past year ABWA chapters, in conjunction with the Association's national educational fund, have awarded scholarships amounting to over $355,000:

NOW, THEREFORE, I, RICHARD F. KNEIP, Governor of the State of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim the month of May, in the State of South Dakota, to be

ABWA SCHOLARSHIP MONTH

and do urge all residents of this State to take proper cognizance thereof.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this 25th day of March, in the Year of Our Lord, Nineteen Hundred and Seventy-one.

Richard F. Kneip

RICHARD F. KNEIP, GOVERNOR

ATTEST:

Alma Larson

ALMA LARSON, SECRETARY OF STATE

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